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DON'T MISS A LINE OF IT! R. M. WHITE, Editor and Proprietor.]

Now is Your Time to Subscribe VOL. XXXI.

Written for the Weekly LEDGER.

CIJACOBS OT out in the years that yet shall be For Strains and Sprains. Evidence, Fresh, New, Strong.

Suffered & Yours. Ht. Ficanat, Tense, Suffered & Yours, With strain of bad; and are walk strained bad; and are walk straight used two bettler B. Jacobs Olig was owned. No pain in 15 mention.

E. J. WALLACE.

Will lovelier be than they.

Bed. Houghton, Mich., May 22, 1988.
About March S. I etrained my ankle and was in bed one west, used cano two weeks. Three appli-estings a day, from three bettles of St. Jacobo Dil-oured ms. So return of pain.

FORETT DANIES MATTERDAY. Torrible Pain. Piainview III., May 18, 1858.

I opraised my thumb last Spring, and a surrible smalling and pain ensued. Four applications of Schools Oil ogred me and there has been to return of pain.

AT DRUGGING AND DEALERS. THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., Baltimore, Md.

Mexico will shortly be the best lighted city in the State. EVERY business house in Mexico

should be decorated on July the THE result in Pennsylvania settles the prohibition question for

the future. RHODE ISLAND yesterday wiped out its three year old prohibition amendment by a majority of 5,469.

JUDGE S. M. EDWARDS has our Thanks for some as fine honey as we ever ate. We have the milk and if some one will furnish us with the land we will be "flying."

THE failure of Laddonia to secure the college is not due to any fault of the people of that village, who responded so promptly and liber-

THERE is no doubt but that Mortimer and Miller went to the residence of Sam Appar to rob him. Mertimer acted as look-out while Miller did the work.

SHERIFF ADAMS showed unusual care and good judgment in selecting the jury to try Miller. He took men from the distant portions of he got good men, too.

working day and night. Thirty men say they see it's a benefit to the working people already.

THE poem from the ready pen of such again, because of location only. Miss Emily Vail, of this county, printed in the LEDGER to-day, is a literary production of merit, and is worthy of perusal. The thoughts conveyed are both beautiful and pathetic and would do credit to the foremost poetical writers in the country.

HICKMAN WIGGINTON, formerly of Mexico, now editor of the Linnieus Bulletin, is in Mexico on a visit. The Bulletin is one of our brightest and most valued exchanges, and we congratulate our young friend on his success in the journalistic field, which is so thickly strewn with cripples and

THE law requires county courts to publish full reports of their annual expenses and receipts. The Boone county court, for some reason, refuses to ebey the law and rushes into print with three or four columns of "hog wash," supposed to be reasons for disobeving the law. The people of Boone county have a right to know what becomes of their money, and if the present County Court refuses to 'show up," prompt action should be taken in the courts, which are on record in such cases, and dispose of the derelict officials in hort order.

JOHN BROWN, of Kansas, formerly of Callaway county, this State. is in Mexico for the purpose of proper encouragement. A good in- side of the house knows anything stitution of this kind is what Au- about. drain county needs, and a creamery milk producer and the projector of the one that made it and her eight the enterprise. Mr. Brown says children. Wellsville has taken the proper steps to secure one, and that farmover the prospect of a market for think alike. their milk. A creamery is a good thing for any community as a business investment.

Ar the State Sunday School Convention, just closed at Fulton, Au- was the largest ever known. The drain county was awarded the sailing of the steamer Hawkhurst, for reappointment. the largest Sunday School attendchildren, of any county in the State. the unequaled list of victims. This certainly speaks well for the What will be next?—Baltimore in favor rapidly everywhere that the Christian religion is known. It has not been a great while ago that Church as a religious educator, but al favorite. this degma has been discarded by all denominations, and the Sunday School, at this day, in church work

THE BENTON CITY CEMETERY.

Where wild flowers kiss our wandering feet, ide a meadow fair and sweet, The Benton churchyard hes. Few graves or sculptured stones we see,

Here is no past on this fresh sod-No olden paths by mourners trod— No crumbling stones we see. o leaning column here appears, Dark with the stain of by-gone years ; All that is yet to be

Vithin these grounds will thickly set At no far distant day : While o'er the infant's little bod the pansy, lifting its fair head.

Here have mourning mothers laid Their babs s beneath the cedar's shade, And, sorrowing, turned away : bose little flowrets chilled by death, Whose lives were like the roses' breath

Fleeting and sweet as they. When earth and stars shall nase away And the burning sun with age decay, Those buds of life will be lore levely, beautiful and bright han when they faded from our sight.

O! Life, thou mystery. h! who would not thus early go? lut the Father hath not willed it so-A longer lease is given ; A path of mingled smiles and tears, And roads that run through lengthning years Would all might lead to Heaven.

Here by the maiden's grave is set The white moss rose and violet-Called in life's gladdest, brightest years, And gently lain with many tears,

In this sweet place of rest. lere will the beauteous hand of spring er choicest buds and blossoms bring-Her earliest bird will come ; Will come and build its cunning nest And sing about its tomb.

mmer will not forget her part, But with her curious magic art, Will hang each shrub with flowers; And in the slender maples near The mocking-bird and thrush we hear Through all the sultry hours

Winter will, like a mother, spread Her seft white mantle o'er the dead-Over each sleeping breast; While evergreens, on either hand, Those tall, dark sentinels will stand. And guard their dreamless rest. EMILY VAIL

NO DIVISION HERE.

Mexico too Far East for the Runing of the C. & A.

To the Editor of the Ledger . Sir: Answering your kind favor asking if exempting the C. & A. the county in every direction, and do not think that anything the peoshops, etc., at that point. Since the shops were removed from Mextons of clay are taken out every day. ico and Booth, the practical work-

> Yours truly, J. H. WOOD. G. M. A.

MARRIAGE IS A FAILURE

When there is too much latch key. When either of the parties marry or money.

When the watchword is: "Each or himself." When dinner is not ready

dinner time. When neither husband nor takes vacation.

When children are obliged clamer for their rights. When the vacations are taken by ne side of the house only.

When the children are given the neck and back of the chicken. When "he" snores the loudest while "she" kindles the fire.

When a man attempts to tell his wife what kind of bonnet she must

When one of the parties engages

by the other. When politeness, fine manners and kindly attentions are reserved

for company or visits abroad. When a man's Christmas present to his wife consists of bootjack.

shirts and gloves for himself. When the lord of creation pays more for cigars than his better half does for hosiery, boots and bonnets. When the money that should go starting a creamery if he meets with for a book goes for what only one

When "father" takes half of the the right sort will pay both the pie and leaves the other half for

When both parties persist in arguing over a subject upon which in that section are much elated they never have nor never can

happenings. The Samoan disaster The State, Mine Inspector has not the bonds. rescue of the Danmark's passengers in a few days. Mr. Woodson, the "White Star" banner for having while burning, 2,800 miles is probably unexampled. And now mce, in proportion to number of comes the Johnstown horror, with

T'was the Size of His Peet.

Correct You Are. to the advancement of Christianity start a factory with a steam whistle public sentiment seemed to demained for life. Hence he sues for mand it should receive. It is indamages.

STATE CAPITAL GOSSIP.

Important Bills Signed by the Governor-Statistics on the Labor Question, &c.

Special Correspondence to the Ledger. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 21, 1889 .- The elephant that Dr. Laws, of the State University, introduced into the last session of the Legislature, was by no means the only one that departments of the State government had to contend with. There was another specimen of the pachyderm which went through House and Senate apparently without much attention being paid to it, but which now looms up amazingly. It is known as the revised bill on cities, towns and villages, technically, but popularly as "the omnibus bill," so called, I suppose, because it was made to carry everything. The bill, besides correcting many of the laws governing municipalities, contains a new law effecting Kansas City, which is rather novel. It provides for the creation of a 'park district' to cover a territory of seventy square miles. This would extend far beyond the limits of Kansas City and take up as much of Jackson county as would reach to and include Independence. This district is to be a corporation, with corporated powers, having a seal of its own, etc., and be governed by a board of five commissioners, two to be appointed by the county court, two by the city council and the fifth is the mayor of Kansas City. These commissioners are empowered to condemn land, lay out parks, boulevards and streets, and to issue bonds to the extent of two per cent. of the assessed property valuation of Kansas City, which would amount to about \$1,000,000. Other powers are conferred on the commissioners that are supposed, under the con- tended to deprive the saloon of its

stitution, to be vested only in the attractiveness for young men and this new system is that the current, mayor and common council of a to make it merely a place for the while making a beautiful and CHICAGO, Ill., June 17.—Dear city. With the money obtained purchase and sale of liquor by healthy light, is so feeble that one from the sale of bonds and from the glass. It is supported by a can scarcely feel it; in fact, one special taxes arranged for in the strong moral sentiment, and the must wet their fingers to feel it at bill the commissioners are author- only objection urged against it not all. A house will be lighted with Taree Bottles Cure Catarra.

In om taxes upon shops, etc., would secure their location at Mexico, I do not think that anything the people of Mexico could do would secure the location of the C. & A.

Three Bottles Cure Catarra.

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Three Bottles Cure Catarra.

In only objection urged against it not based on selfish grounds is that it abridges personal liberty. The could be separate and distinct, so that one may regulate the expense of light to suit the benefit of the agricultural class. may bankrupt it entirely. It is surprising that a bill of such inspection, similar to that which is what they actually use. scope and dimensions could be assured in Illinois, and the ap- Any one who may have sweltered The company is bringing lots of ing of the division has demonstrat-money to Mexico, and our business ed that both points were too far exciting so little attention as this lodged in the Board of Railroad mer, in search of mental light, will east for a change of division, and I one appears to have received. Commissioners, and there are al- fully appreciate the absence of heat do not think either will be made Gov. Francis had the bill under ready numerous applicants for the in electric lighting, but the feature consideration for several weeks and places to be created by it. Delega- of healthfulness is not often reit has been signed by him. The tions from St. Louis and Kansas membered. Aside from the real men who were most interested in City were anxious to get a hearing odor of coal oil or gas, there is a its passage were Kansas City real on the bill, and were prepared to constant consumption of oxygen estate owners and dealers, and it demolish it in the eyes of the Gov- and a constant giving off of products has been said that its purpose is to ernor. But, as one of the best of combustion to vitiate the atmosenable the holders of "suburban" known grain dealers in the State real estate in that municipality to said, when asked to appear before have bought poles and wires and realize on their investments in a the Executive and make an argu- will extend the system wherever handsome degree. During the real ment against the approval of the business will justify running the estate boom of Kansas City some bill, "I den't know that there is lines. Light will be sold at a rate two years ago, a number of people anybody who can give Gov. Francis

platted them, staked them off into tion." 'town lots," and advertised the HANNIBAL & SPRINGFIELD property at high prices. While the boom in land values in the city One Hundred Miles to be Built a itself always maintained its integrity the boom is suburban property first swelled up, then sagged and finally fell flat. The cellapse bright sun of prosperity. But these by October 25th. facts have nothing to do with the

lection of statistics on the most in- another from Pekin to Havana. teresting question of the day, labor.

was the greatest of its kind. The been appointed as yet, but will be

present inspector, is a candidate

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ruined many investors and put of Memphis, Tenn., and Messrs. light since. This park bill, will last Friday, for the construction of burns. The company furnishes no doubt reveal the blue sky to the first 100 miles of the Hannibal without further cost, everything many of the latter, and through its and Springfield railroad, which is necessary, lamps, shades, etc. n a business that is not approved operations they may again see the to be completed and in operation

The road will run from Chicago consideration of the bill, which to Springfield, and will touch the contains many wise and needful pro- towns of Hannibal, Columbia, Mexmunicipalities throughout the State. ville, Mt. Sterling, New London, Labor Commissioner Meriwether, Tipton and other places of note. A though much hampered as to branch is to be built from some means, has laid out a plan of action point on the main line, not yet sewhich will result in securing to the lected, to Quincy, Iil.; another State a remarkably interesting col- branch from Peoria to Hallis, Ill.; after completing its labors in the liams.

Two hundred and fifty miles have He is preparing to send out to the already been surveyed and laid off, industrial districts of the state a and a corps of 100 skilled engineers over-ruled. number of agents for the purpose are strung along the route working of securing information as to the to complete preliminary surveys. cost of producing materials in the Of the portion of the road let. 70 over-ruled. State as well as to ascertain the miles are west of the Mississippi price of labor, the character of per- river and 30 miles east of it. Mr. sons employed, their treatment, Joseph Lathrop, secretary of the etc. The mining districts of the company, sails for Europe this

Heavy Damages Wanted.

John Pike, by his attorney, Col. D. P. Dyer, yesterday filed a suit Gov. Francis still had two im- in the United States Circuit Court portant bills on his desk. One was against the Chicago and Alton the Newberry bill, forbidding the Railroad for damages in the sum of maintenance of any pool or card \$50,000 for injuries he sustained by R. E. Hisey's livery stable, tables in saloons or the playing of being run over by a train of that religious training Audrain pa- American. A year which begins any game therein, and the other company. Pike alleges in the bill rengious training Audrain passes with a total eclipse (Jan. 1) and was the grain inspection bill. A of complaint that he was a bridge Mr. Gantt handles nothing but the The Sunday School is a great insti- also ends with one (Dec. 31) is delegation from the St. Louis Sa- watchman, in the employ of the tution of late years and is growing bound to be a remarkable one.— loon-keepers' Association called on C. & A. R. R.; that he was stationed the Governor recently, and re- at the bridge one-half mile west of quested him to veto the former bill. Rush Hill, in Audrain County, Mo.; Bob White as usual attracted the This bill, which has been signed that on the night of June 29, by the Sabbath School was looked up- greatest attention at the State Edi- and which will do away with all failure of the officers of the train to on with much degree of favor by the torial Association, and was a gener- kinds of game-playing in dram- sound the whistle and ring the bell shops, comprises only one feature as the engine approached the of the high license bill which met bridge, and at a crossing west of the its defeat at the hands of the Legis- bridge, and by the fact that the From the Jefferson City Tribune. its defeat at the hands of the Legis- bridge, and by the fact that the Bob White of the Ledger offers lature, and is therefore a milder train was running at a dangerous

MORE LIGHT.

To Our Pride in the Past and Our Hope for the Future, Let Us Add Vigorous Work in the Living Present

MEXICO, MISSOURI, THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1889.

The Mexico Electric Light Company Ready to Furnish Cheap and Good Light to All.

The readers of the LEDGER may have noticed that St. Louis has discarded gas for street lighting, and will, in the near future, be lighted by electric light.

The Mexico Electric Light Co. SICK HEADACHE, has just closed a contract for a machine similar to that adopted by St.

Louis, which will give the plant an ultimate capacity of 1,500 incandescent lamps. The new dynamo will have the latest and best improvements, and the company will be able to do what, a few years ago, was thought impossible—that is to has just closed a contract for a mawas thought impessible—that is to sell electric light by meter measure. Electricians have hard at this problem of measuring hard at this problem of measuring some method that would be simple, exact and

satisfactory to both seller and buyer. The new meter fills all these conditions; anyone can read it, anyone can test its accuracy. The meter records every hour that a lamp burns, so that the only test required is to turn on one or more lamps and see the recording of hourly burning.

A gas meter records cubic feet of gas consumed, so that the simplicity and exactness of an electric meter recording lamp hours burned will necessarily be much more satisfactory to all consumers. The electric meter has another great advantage that might not occur to many, that is, it does not record leaks, for there are no leaks possible, and none to be recorded. When your lamp does not burn your meter cannot count up against you. A gas meter, it any of your pipes leak. gas meter, it any of your pipes leak, will run up a bill for you whether you burn gas or not.

Another interesting feature of It contemplates a thorough grain their own wishes, paying only for

phere. The electric light company equal to gas at \$2.08, which is one bought farms outside the city and any information on the grain ques- fifth less than the lowest rate gas companies have offered in Mexico. Meters will be placed in each house. a deposit of \$12.50 being made for the return of the meter, whenever the contract is thrown up. When meter and fixtures are returned, the money is refunded. As many Messrs. John S. McTige & Co., lamps as are wished for will be put in at a cost of \$1.00 per lamp for others in the hole so deep that they Fudge & Strang, of Kansas City, wiring and a charge of 1 1-4 cents have never been able to see day- were given the contract at Chicago, per hour for each hour a lamp

Court Notes.

The special grand jury reports the following indictments: State of Missouri vs. Howard visions for the regulation of other ico, Buffalo, Peoria, Astoria, Rush- Faucett; burglary and larceny. Arraigned and pleaded not guilty. McBee. State of Missouri vs. Wm. Doug-

> raigned and pleaded not guilty. The grand jury was discharged rings, Misses Carrie and Eadie Wilabove cases.

State of Missouri vs. Jack Cun ningham; motion for a new trial State of Missouri vs. Jno. W.

Miller: motion for change of venue The case of the State of Missouri vs. John W. Miller, colored, David Owens. for the murder of Samuel Appar, is now on trial, with the following Louisiana, Mo. State will be first visited, after week to have the centract ratified jury: J. H. Worsham, J. M. This is a year of unprecedented which the cities will be canvassed. by the English syndicate, who held Pearson, D. W. Hill, T. J. Seal, bell. W. B. Scott, W. W. Botts, J. D.

> ens, Joseph Lockridge. Ernest Gantt has bought R. E Hisey's coal business, and desires parties wanting this kind of fuel to

give him a call. His office is at where orders can be left, which will be accurately and promptly filled. best article, and being a worthy and deserving young business man he should receive a fair share of Head. patronage, which we are certain he

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,

ierce's To Original
leasent LITTLE
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SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH.—Dull heavy headache, obstruction of the masal passages, discharges falling from the head into the throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acrid, at others, thick, tenacious, muccus, purulent, bloody and putrid; the eyes are weak, watery, and inlamed; there is ringing in the ears, deafness, hacking or coughing to clear the throat, expectoration of offensive matter, together with scabs from ulcers; the voice is changed and has a nasai twang; the breath is offensive; smell and taste are impaired; there is a sensation of dizzines, with mental depression, a hacking cough and general debility. Only a few of the above-named symptoms are likely to be present in any one case. Thousands of cases annually, without manifesting half of the above symptoms, result in consumption, and end in the grave. No disease is so common, more deceptive and dangerous, or less understood by physicians.

By its mild, soothing, and healing properties, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Hemedy cures the worst cases of Catarrhs, "cold in the head," Coryza, and Catarrhail Headache.

Sold by druggists everywhere; 50 cents.

"Untold Agony from Catarrh."

"Constantly Hawking and Spitting," Thomas J. Rushing, Eaq., 2003 Pine Street, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I was a great sufferer from catarrh for three years. At times I could hardly breathe, and was constantly hawking and spitting, and for the last eight months could not breathe through the nostrils. I thought nothing could be done for me, Luckily, I was advised to try Dr. Sago's Catarrh Remedy, and I am now a well man. I believe it to be the only sure remedy for catarrh now manufactured, and one has only to give it a fair trial to experience astounding results and a permanent cure."

Three Bottles Cure Catarrh

Cline-Bass. Mr. Lewis Cline and Miss Mary E. Bass, daughter of 'Squire L. N. Bass, were married last Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, at the resi-East Promenade street, Kev. E. K. lation of the interstate commerce Miller performing the ceremony. centracting parties were present to witness the nuptials, after which the guests sat down to a bountiful repast, a good portion of which found its way to this office and was enjoyed by "ye editor" and "the boys," for which the family will accept thanks. The groom is a prosperous farmer, living about five miles south of town, while the bride a short bridal trip the newly married couple will live on the groom's farm. The LEDGER extends conhappy life.

Among the many presents a Lepiana, Mo.

Set knives and forks, Mrs. J. A. Headington. Set silver tea spoons, Dr. J.

Taliaferro, Hannibal, Mo. Set silver tea spoons, Miss Tillie Kunkel. Silver sugar spoon, Miss Lou

Pair silver napkin rings and wine lass; burglary and larceny. Ar- set, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thurman. Pair silver (gold lined) napkin

> Silver salt and pepper stand, Miss Mamie Casey. Dinner and tea set, Messrs. W. J.

. E and J. W. Bass. Silver call bell, Mrs. E. B. Keith. Water set and waiter, Mr. and the place." Mrs. J. H. Ballew.

Willow rocker, L. E. Bass and Set glasses, Mrs. J. G. Duncan Smoking set. Miss Sallie Camp-

China tea set, Mrs. and Mrs. H Scoggins, Thomas Raftery, J. F. Jacobson and daughter. Barnaby, R. S. Fletcher, H. Slav-Set silver pie knives, Miss Mollie Hoban and Miss May Head. Pair elegant towels, Mrs. Dan citizens and good Republicans."-

Woodward.

Celery stand, Mrs. Dejarnatt. Hand painted vase, Miss Cora Silver napkin ring, Daisy Keith Salt and pepper stand, Miss

Anna Belle Hopwood. Hand painted chair tidy, Mr and Mrs. P. W. Harding.
Pictures and frame, Mrs. J. G Silver salt and pepper stand, Mrs. W. Fowle and Miss Pinkie

Pair linen towels, Mr. and Mrs H. C. Smith. Hand painted sauce dishes. Mrs. Silver tooth pick receiver, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kunkel.

Silver butter dish, Miss Emma

CATTLEMEN PROTEST.

Missouri Cattle Owners; Form an Association to Fight the Railroads.

From the Kansas Gity Times. A convention of cattle men and shippers consisting of representatives from eight counties in Missouri, was held at the Midland Hotel, yesterday for the purpose of considering live stock rates and forming a permanent State organi- Thursday after indicting both Fauzation with local auxiliary societies cett and Douglass for burglary and in every county.

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lected temporary chairman, and of July jubilee. Hen. Champ several speeches were made strong- Clark and L. H. Waters are the y urging a permanent association orators. of live stock shippers for the purpose of protecting themselves for the discriminations practiced by train that will shoot a train robber, railroads in the shipment of live and several parties are making frestock at points in the State outside of Kansas City. It was claimed that the recent action of the interstate railway association at Chicago in enacting a rule that one road shall only carry a certain quantity of stock per week, as was issued against the St. Paul, was but another name for pooling and therefore a violation of the interstate commerce act.

After considerable discussion i was decided to form the farmers'. shippers' and business mens' protective association of Missouri.

* * * * * The following preamble and resolution were unanimously adopted, after which the convention adjourned subject to the call of exec- week. utive committee:

WHEREAS, The railroads that are doing business between Kansar City and Chicago, and more espec ially those that belong to the association known as the interstate railway commerce association, are in their efforts to prevent fair and honest competition violating section 5 of the interstate commerce railway act; and, WHEREAS, The action of the

Chicago and Alton railroad company in withdrawing from the interstate commerce railway association because, as alleged, they were not a beau." receiving a fair proportion of the live stock traffic between Kansas imiting the St. Paul to two trains per week until the Alton had even- vorce suits. Out of 89 cases on the was a reason we were privileged to ed up, is proof of the existence of a docket, twelve are divorce cases. peel or combination whose object and purpose are to maintain rates dence of the bride's parents, 523 and prevent competition in vio-

act; therefore, be it Resolved, That the president o Only a few intimate friends of the this association be instructed to communicate with the interstate commerce commissioners and take proper steps to obtain their ruling

association. Let It Alone. Carrollton has been a liberal contributor to the Louisiana lettery. and with two exceptions the town has scored a miss. It is safe to say

is known as a worthy lady, possess- that not \$1 out of \$50 which left ing many womanly virtues. After this place ever returned. The imgratulations, and wishes Mr. and Globe: "The lottery company, Mrs. Cline a long, prosperous and which already owns New Orleans, offers to assume the Louisiana state debt of \$12,000,000 in consideration to live. GER reporter noticed the following: of a fifty year's charter. Inasmuch Elegant silver cake basket, Mrs. as it takes in yearly on its eight \$10 now in first-class condition for Holliday and Mrs. Little, Louis- drawings, \$1,000,000 each; \$2,000,- driving, thanks to J. A. Potts, R. assume the debt, which the misguided citizens of the entire country on the Boulevard. will pay. It will pay Carrollton

> investment. One Man Honored.

people, as well as others, to let the

"A man named Jinks asks for the postmastership of Squashtown," observed Lige, as he opened the mail the other morning; "he is backed by nearly all the citizens of miles northwest of Mexico, last source of dividends, but that is a "Squashtown!" repeated the

lives in Squashtown." "There is no salary of any ac count attached to that postoffice."

hastily explained Lige. "Oh, give it to Mr. Jinks with my best wishes, Lige; and add that

with the Audrain County Wheel knew him. His affliction was ter- men camped for three days in for ever \$7,000 worth of binders' rible, the dread disease having eaten 1863. Spurs, bridle bits and twine, to be sold by the Wheel to away a greater portion of his face, other like articles have been members of that organization only. The funeral services took place at ploughed up on the old camp Leslie figured against some of the the Christian Church at 3 e'clock Leslie figured against some of the the Christian Church at 3 o'clock biggest twine companies in the Friday, conducted by Elder cut for a long time. East, some of them having more H. B. Davis. mency than Ferris ever saw or expects to see, but our hardware man

had the longest pole, consequently

he knecked the persimmen.

America," says a writer, "stands a the State should ever attempt a cult matter to put it in proper chance of becoming President of the State Fair. As one fair is better shape. The course should be United States." Is this all that than another, so is a State fair worked at least twice amonth, and the ambitious American youth may better than a county fair, because citizens should contribute to a A full line of Pipes at Elliott's. (col.)

Dass.

Pickle dish, Aunt Mary Johnson, his becoming a curve pitcher.

The stock which the other has not. order.

Hugh Ross has returned home

[\$1.50 PER YEAR, IN ADVANCE

from Texas. A new "overflow" is being put at the water-works reservoir.

NO. 12.

C. Winn sold to J. E. Sims. 15 hogs 10 months old, weight 293 pounds, at \$4.

Moore & Nelson sold a house and two lots to T. J. Kelso for \$600. also one vacant lot for \$100. The special grand jury adjourned

larceny. The Warrenton and Moberly Hon. C. F. Clark of Audrain was bands play at the Mexico Fourth

The Union Pacific Road offers \$2,000 cash to any passenger on any quent trips in hopes to get a shot.

The first grindstone ever seen in Madagascar was left by an American vessel a year ago, and the queen rewards heroes by allowing them to turn it while she sharpens her N. Baskett's response to the ad-

We are in receipt of the premium list of the Audrain county fair. The catalogue was printed at the LEDGER office and is a handsome piece of work .- Columbia States-

professional beggers, liars, hypo- and mind, the pleasure was double crites and deceivers, and the average income of each one is \$5 per extended by Rev. Rogers, the conhibited in court in Providence the

curred thirty-seven times, and yet institutions and noble colleges of the girl in the case said it was "a learning, but a place fully abreast cold, unfeeling epistle." It is said of a Canadian mother more than bread and butter. Mr. who died the other day: "She was

in the neighborhood could even get what the School was doing for the Marriage must be a failure in and thanked Him that two of the City and Chicage and the action of Howard county. At a term of cir- States had decided that the Bible n in its efforts to de- cuit court last week five divorce termine the number of trains of live were granted. Out of twenty cases stock that each road shall have, by on the return docket, six are di-

> her neighbor for damages for putting up fly screens. She claims that the flies which cannot get into the neighbor's house on this account will come to hers, and she will thereby have double the usual

> number. Judge M. C. Flynt is in the city on business. The judge has two lengthy petitions from interested from this city to Gantt and Youngers. These points need such mail will secure them.

the following from the Kansas City of Mexico, Thursday. He was have in Irish organizations, and found this morning with his head should be got rid of in some manbadly crushed, and in an unconsci- ner. ous condition. He is not expected

Both ends of the Boulevard are 000 each on three quarterly draw- E. Hisey, and a number of citizens carry on war for any country for a ings and \$4,000,000 on its annual who contributed money to the im. consideration, it was thought to be drawings and pays back less than provement. The city helped a wild flight of fancy. But here is half, the lottery can well afford to the work along, as did also the a company formed in Illinois for county. Everybody in town drives the purpose of conducting execu-

J. N. Murphy and bride have arrived from Jacksonville, Ill., where lottery alone. The chances are they were married Thursday, and 100 to 1 against the holder of a will go to keeping house in the ticket making anything out of his Ernst property. Mr. Murphy is the gentleman who purchased Emmett Cunningham's plumbing business. Mexico extends a hearty welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Murphy. "Nubian, Jr.," a stallion belong-

ing to Chas. L. Bruce, living 10 Friday viciously seized a negro groom and nearly severed his arm President, meditatively: "it seems from the shoulder. Both shoulder to me a nephew of my daughter-in- and arm of the negro were frightlaw's fifth cousin's brother-in-law fully bitten, and it was with difficulty that the horse was made to let loose of the groom. A physician ting wheat on his farm near Bolwent out to see the darkey, who is linger Mills, in the southern part said to be badly injured.

died Thursday afternoon at 4 was cut in plain letters, "Gen. it is my delight to honor patriotic o'clock at his home in West Mex- Marmaduke, C. S. A., 1863." ico of cancer in the face. Deceased The spot where the terrapin was was an old citizen of this county, found is one mile from the place Leslie Ferris has closed a contract and highly respected by all who where Gen. Marmaduke and his The Mexico Pair.

attend the Mexico, Mo., Fair this work of improvement had been so in year will see what could be done if long neglected that it was a diffi-

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A Clever Response. The Fulton Sun, referring to J.

dress of welcome at the Fulton Sunday School Convention, says: "After another song, J. N. Baskett, of Mexico, replied to the address of welcome in a happy man-ner. His speech abounded in good things, and had a sprinkling of pleasantries. He said perhaps it was the first time some of the dele-There are in New York 3,658 gates had been in our midst, and men, women and children who are since they were here in sound body In return for the Ful(1)ton welcome vention could only return a Basket(t) full of thanks and bring a In a sixteen-page love letter exhibited in court in Providence the warm-hearted people in whose other day the word "darling" oc- midst is located the eleemosynary with the times, and from associat-

Baskett dwelt on the great work a true wife, a fond mother and so to advance. And in his remarks for which the convention had met managed affairs as to marry off her compared what the Legislature had nine girls before any other female done for the Sunday School with State. The duty of our people is to recognize God as the Supreme Ruler could be used in public schools as

> enter the home circle of the citizens who were entertaining us. Burke Indicted. CHICAGO, June 19 .- The Grand Jury has returned indictments against Martin Burke, who is held

at Winnipeg, charging him with the murder of Dr. Cronin. The indictment is in two counts. the first being for the unqualified charge of murder, and the second charges conspiracy to do murder. and names Woodruff, Dan Coughlin, persons asking for a daily mail P. O. Sullivan and others, whose names are withheld, as conspirators. Immediately after returning the facilities badly and we hope they indictments, the Grand Jury resumed its session and examined A tramp about 24 years of age, J. D. Haggerty, who said that Alex mense profit reaped by the lottery named Miller, was struck by a Sullivan stated to him, in 1885. can be best understood by reading Wabash train about a mile west Cronin was a dangerous man to

> A Queer Corporation When Frank Stockton wrote "The Great War Syndicate" about a company of capitalists who would tions, which will employ competent executioners, work off criminals in any part of the United States. furnish shrouds, coffins, etc., and hang or electrify, according to the wishes of its customers. Many a stock company has been started for less laudable purposes. There would be none of the horrible butcheries which now and then disgrace our civilization if this corporation should be successfully es-

Marmaduke's Turtle. MARBLE HILL, Mo., June 20 .-On the 13th inst., while Randolph James and his harvesters were cutof this county, they found a land

tablished. It may seem a ghastly

matter of taste with the stock-

New that the Boulevard improvement is completed, our driv-

It is more than likely that the ing public can enjoy riding over farmers of Miscouri who are able to this popular thoroughfare. The

J. T. Lewellen, aged 62 years, terrapin on the under side of which